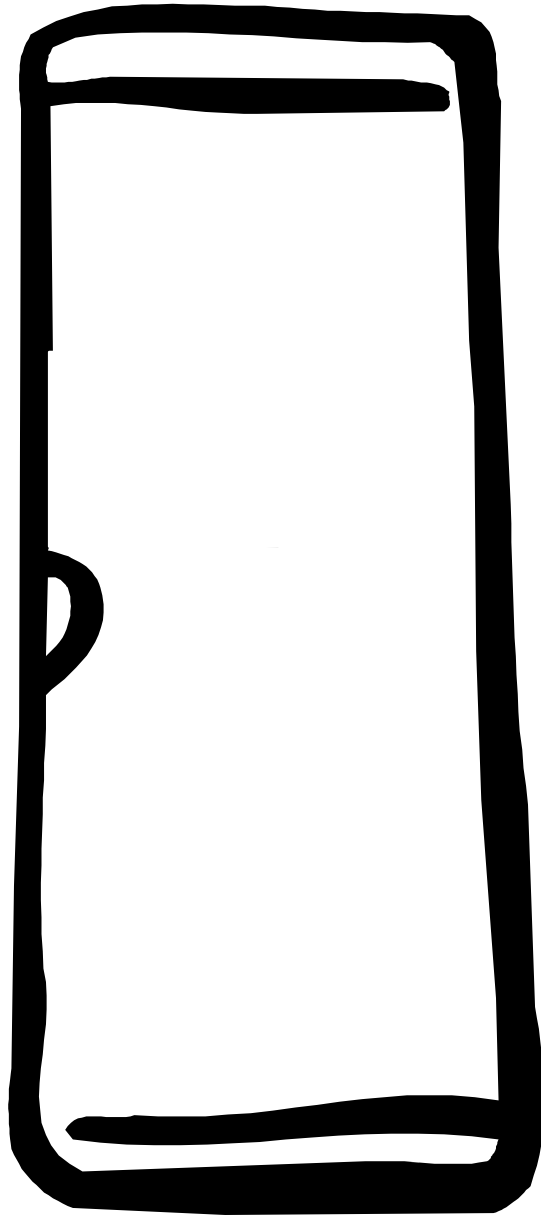


**Refrigerator**

# **INSTRUCTION BOOKLET**



**ER8817C**

# Important Safety Instructions

Your new fridge may have other functions compared to your previous one.

**These warnings are provided in the interests of your safety.** Ensure that you understand them all before installing or using the appliance. Your safety is of paramount importance. If you are unsure about any of the meanings or warnings contact the Customer Care Department.

Keep the instruction booklet. It will come in handy if you later sell the appliance or give it to somebody else.

## For the User

- The cabinet is intended for keeping foodstuff in a normal household as explained in this instruction booklet.
- Do not keep explosive gases or liquids in the refrigerator or freezer compartment. They may explode and cause injury and material damage.
- Do not let sharp objects come into contact with the refrigerating system on the back of and inside the cabinet. If the refrigerating system is punctured, the cabinet will be damaged and foodstuff inside may spoil.
- Do not keep carbonised drinks or bottles in the freezer compartment. The glass bottles may break.
- The cabinet is heavy. The edges and projecting

parts of the cabinet may be sharp. Be careful when moving the cabinet and always use gloves.

## Child Safety

- Pay attention so that small children do not gain access to the operating controls or the inside of the cabinet.

## Scrapping old cabinets

When discarding the cabinet, hand it over to a recycling station. For more information, call your local city office or your dealer.

## Guide to use the instruction book

The following Symbols will be found in the text to guide you through the instructions



Safety instructions

1, 2, 3 ...

Step by step instructions for an operation



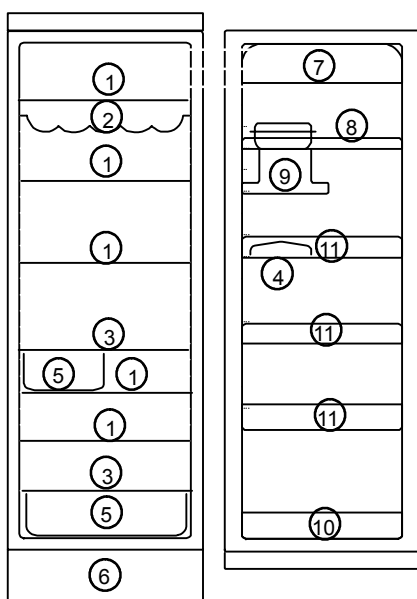
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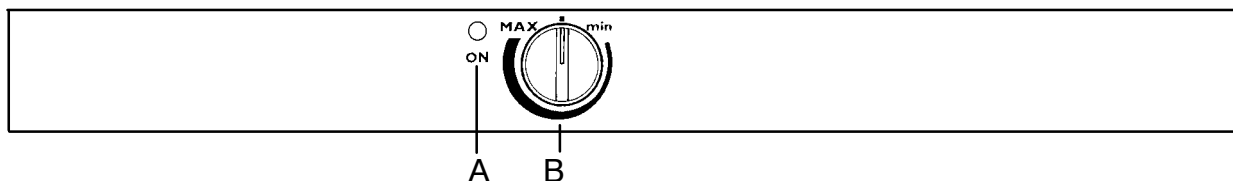
## Description of the Appliance



Modell ER8817C

1. Wire shelf
2. Bottle shelf
3. Glas shelf
4. Egg tray
5. Salad drawer
6. Ventilation grille
7. Dairy compartment
8. Door shelf + box
9. Hanging doorshell
10. Bottle shelf
11. Door shelf

### Control Panel



#### A. Green pilot light

Illuminates when the fridge is operating.

#### B. Thermostat control knob

Use to switch on and set the desired temperature in the fridge.

# Before use

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- Remove all securing tapes.
- Wash the inside of the appliance with lukewarm water with a little bicarbonate of soda added (5ml to 0,5 litre of water). Do not use soap or detergent as the smell may linger. Dry the appliance thoroughly.

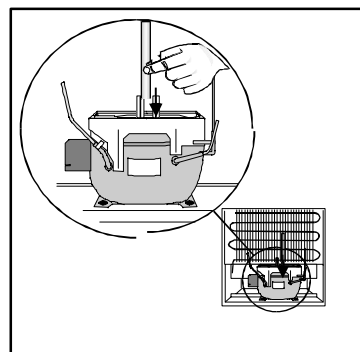


Do not use detergents, abrasive powders, highly perfumed cleaning products, wax, polishes or products containing alcohol.

Check that the drain hose at the rear of the cabinet discharges into the drip tray.

- Before inserting the power plug into the socket and switching on the appliance for the first time, leave it standing upright for about 30 minutes, or for 2 hours if it was transported horizontally. Otherwise the com-

pressor may sustain damage. This time will allow the oil sufficient time to return to the compressor.



## Using the fridge

### To start the fridge and thermostat control

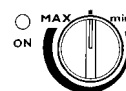
Turn the thermostat control knob to the desired position.

**MIN** The lowest position of the thermostat control results in the highest temperature inside the cabinet.

**MAX** The highest position of the thermostat control results in the lowest temperature inside the cabinet.

■ : Switched off.

Allow the appliance to run for a period of 24 hours whenever the temperature setting is changed. This will allow the temperature to stabilise inside the appliance.



### Temperature inside the fridge

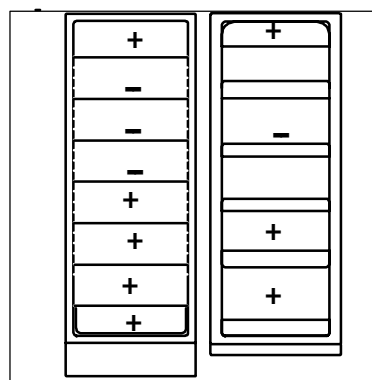
A suitable temperature inside the fridge is approx. +5°C. If the thermostat control is set too cold, food with a high water content may start to freeze if it has been placed in the coldest places in the fridge.

(+ warm, - cold)

Meat, fish and milk should be put in the coldest part of the cabinet.

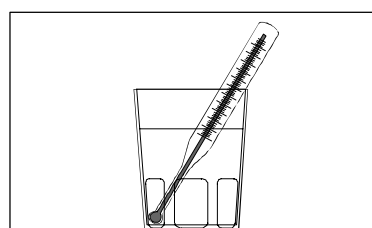
The temperature will be affected by:

- How often the door is opened
- How much food is stored
- Position of the appliance (See the Installation section.)



### Measuring the temperature

If the temperature is measured using a standard, single thermometer, this should be put in a glass of water centrally placed inside the appliance. This will reflect the temperature inside the food products. Do not place the thermometer hanging or lying directly on the shelf.





- Distribute foodstuffs to allow cold air to circulate freely between the products.
- Do not place food products directly against the cooling plate on the rear wall as they may freeze here.
- Also never put warm products into the appliance. Wait until they have cooled down.
- Cover all foods properly to avoid odours and flavours from tainting other food.

## Switching off

Turn the control anti-clockwise past the click position to "■".

Unplug the power supply plug from the wall socket.

## Cabinet interior

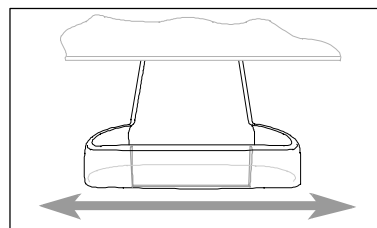
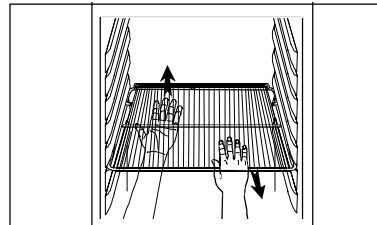
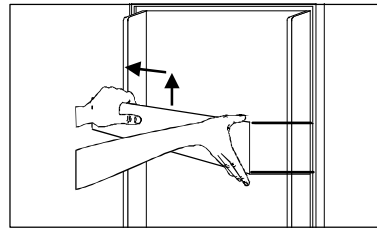
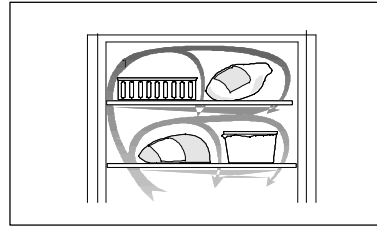
The shelves and door compartments are removable and can easily be re-arranged.

Certain shelves must be lifted up by the rear edge to enable them to be removed.

The lower door compartment and the glass shelf above the salad drawer must not be moved. They are required for proper air circulation inside the cabinet. Shelves with a raised edge should be placed with the raised edge facing the rear wall of the cabinet, and thus prevent food products from touching the cooling plate.

### Hanging half-shelf

The half-shelf can be moved sideways. It can be hung under all door shelves, except the lowest one.



# Hints and Tips

## Energy Saving Advice

- Do not install the cabinet close to sources of heat such as a cooker, dishwasher or radiator.
- Locate the appliance in a cool well ventilated room and make sure that the air openings of the cabinet are not obstructed.
- Always leave warm food to cool down to room temperature before placing in the fridge.
- Try to avoid keeping the door open for long periods, or opening the door too frequently as warm air will enter the cabinet, and cause the compressor to switch on unnecessarily often.
- Ensure there are no obstructions preventing the door from closing properly.
- It is advisable to periodically clean the refrigeration system at the back of the appliance with a duster or vacuum cleaner.
- Always leave warm food to cool down to room temperature before placing in the fridge.

- Make sure the door gasket is complete and always clean.

## Food Storage

- To obtain the best results from your appliance, neither hot foods nor liquids which may evaporate, should be placed in the larger compartment.
- Keep the time between buying chilled food and placing it in your fridge as short as possible.
- Do not push food together too much, try to allow air to circulate around each item.
- Do not store food uncovered. Remove suspect food from your refrigerator and clean, refer to cleaning and maintenance.

## Normal Operating Sounds

- You may hear faint gurgling or bubbling sounds when the refrigerant is pumped through the coils or tubing at the rear, to the cooling plate/evaporator.
- When the compressor is on, the refrigerant is

being pumped round, and you will hear a whirring sound or pulsating noise from the compressor.

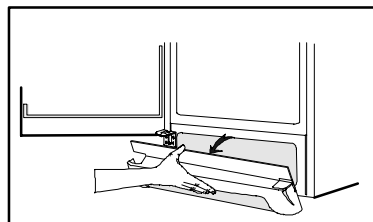
- A thermostat controls the compressor and you will hear a faint "click" when the thermostat cuts in and out.

## Maintenance and Cleaning

### Removing the ventilation grille

The ventilation grille can be removed, e.g. to wash the grille.

Make sure the door is open when removing the ventilation grille. Unsnap the upper edge of the grille by pulling outward/downward. Then pull the grille straight out to completely remove it.



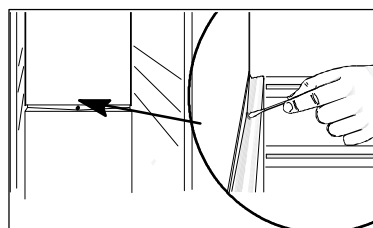
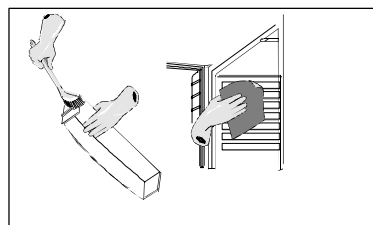
### Internal Cleaning

Clean the inside and the accessories with warm water and bicarbonate of soda (5 ml to 0,5 litre of water).

Rinse and dry thoroughly.



Do not use detergents, abrasive powders, high perfumed cleaning products, wax polishes or cleaning products containing bleach or alcohol.



Regularly check the door seals and wipe clean to ensure they are clean and free from debris.

Clean out the drip channel inside the fridge at regular intervals and ensure that the drip channel is clear at all times. If blocked carefully clear using a piece of flexible curtain wire inserted into the drain outlet to remove the blockage.

### External Cleaning

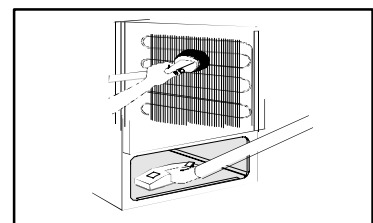
**Disconnect the appliance from electricity supply.**

Wash the outer cabinet with warm soapy water.

Remove the ventilation grille (see the section "Removing the ventilation grille") and vacuum-clean under the cabinet. Once or twice a year dust the condenser (black grille) and the compressor at the back of the appliance, with a brush or vacuum cleaner, as an accumulation of dust will affect the performance of the appliance and cause excessive electricity consumption.



When moving the cabinet, lift it by the front edge to avoid scratching the floor.



## Defrosting the fridge

The fridge is defrosted automatically every time the compressor stops. Frost formation can be prevented by:

- not putting warm foodstuff inside the cabinet.
- avoiding frequently opening the door or keeping it open too long.
- not placing foodstuffs directly against the cold cooling plate.

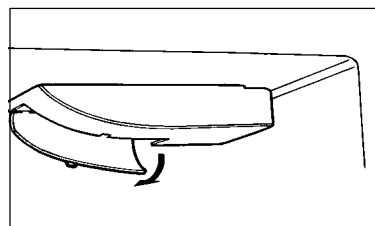
## To Change the Light Bulb

The light is switched on automatically when the door is opened. Before replacing the light bulb, disconnect the power plug from the outlet.

Fold the grille backward by unsnapping the front edge.

Use a bulb of the same type, E14 socket, maximum rating of 25 W.

When replacing the light bulb, use a bulb of the same type as the original one. The glass must measure at least 18 mm in diameter at the socket. This will ensure close fitting of the bulb against the rubber seal in the socket.



## When the appliance is not in use

**Disconnect the appliance from electricity supply.**  
Empty all foods and clean the appliance, leaving the doors ajar to prevent unpleasant smells.

If the appliance is left on, e.g. while on holiday, ask somebody to check it once in a while to prevent the food inside from spoiling in case of a power failure.

# Something Not Working

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Before contacting your local Service Force Centre check the following points:

Symptom	Solution
The temperature is too high inside the refrigerator.	Set a lower temperature. Put food products in the right place inside the refrigerator. See the chapter "Temperature inside the refrigerator". Distribute the food products to allow cold air to circulate around them. Make sure that the door is completely closed and that the rubber door seal is complete and clean. The temperature where the cabinet is placed is above normal room temperature.
It is too cold inside the refrigerator.	Set a warmer temperature. See the section "To start the fridge and thermostat control".
There is water on the cooling plate inside the refrigerator.	This is normal. During automatic defrosting, frost thaws on the cooling plate.
Water is running inside the refrigerator.	Clean the water drain and drain hole inside the refrigerator using a piece of flexible curtain wire. Food products could have been placed near the rear of the appliance, preventing the water from running into the drain.
Water comes out on the floor.	Place the drain hose at the back of the appliance above the drain bowl. See the chapter "Before use"

<b>The compressor operates continuously.</b>	<p>Set a warmer temperature.</p> <p>Make sure that the door is completely closed and that the rubber door seal is complete and clean.</p> <p>The temperature where the cabinet is placed is above normal room temperature.</p>
<b>The cabinet does not operate at all. Cooling or interior light does not operate. No indicator lamps light.</b>	<p>The power plug is not properly connected.</p> <p>The fuse has blown.</p> <p>The appliance is not switched on.</p> <p>Power does not reach the appliance. (Try connecting another electrical device to the power outlet.)</p>
<b>Noise</b>	<p>The refrigerating system will always produce some sounds. A pulsing sound is heard when coolant is pumped inside the cooling pipes. A ticking sound from the thermostat can be heard when the compressor switches on and off. The sound level varies depending on the operation of the cabinet.</p> <p>If you feel the sound level is incorrect:</p> <p>If the cushion spacers (between the cabinet wall and pipes) come loose, put them back in place again.</p> <p>Carefully follow the instructions in the chapter "Installing the cabinet".</p>

## Service and Spare Parts



In the event of your appliance requiring service, or if you wish to purchase spare parts please contact your local Service Force Centre by telephoning:

**08705 929929**

Your telephone call will be automatically routed to the Service Force Centre covering your post code area.

For the address of your local Service Force Centre and further information about Service Force, please visit the website at [www.serviceforce.co.uk](http://www.serviceforce.co.uk)

Before calling out an engineer, please ensure you have read the details under the heading "Something Not Working".

When you contact the Service Force Centre you will need to give the following details:

1. Your name, address and post code
2. Your telephone number
3. Clear and concise details of the fault
4. The model and serial number of the appliance (found on the rating plate)
5. The purchase date.....

**Please note that a valid purchase receipt or guarantee documentation is required for in-guarantee service calls.**

### Customer Care Department

For general enquiries concerning your Electrolux appliance or further information on Electrolux products, you are invited to contact our Customer Care Department by letter or phone as follows or visit our website at <http://www.electrolux.se>

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Tel: 08705 950950\*

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# Guarantee Conditions

## Standard Guarantee Conditions

See Guarantee Conditions on the Registration Card.

## Technical specification

Model	ER8817C
Gross volume	379 l
Width	595 mm
Height	1800 mm
Depth	600 mm
Energy consumption	248 kWh/year
Energy class	B
Rated power	110 W

## Installation

### Mains Cable

In the event of damage to the appliance's main cable, to avoid risks only an authorised service company recommended by the supplier or a qualified person may adjust it.

### Unpacking

Unpack the appliance and check that it is in good condition and free of any transport damage. Notify the dealer immediately of any damage. Hand the packaging over for recycling.



Do not allow children to play with the packaging. The plastic film can cause suffocation.

### Removing the transport supports

Remove the tape and the transport supports from

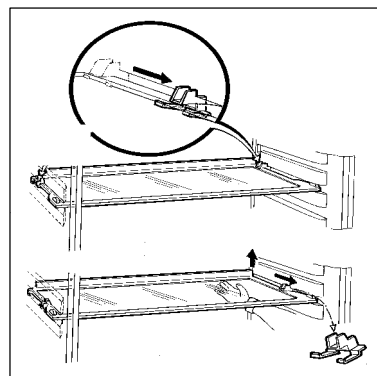
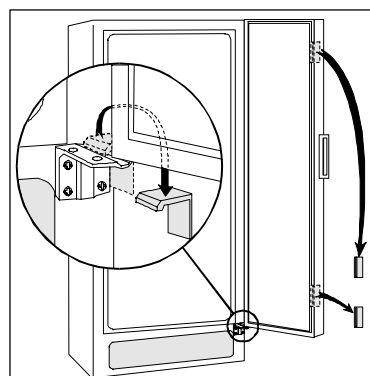
- the door sides
- inside the door hinges
- the shelves

Remove the transport support on the glass shelf by pushing the support forward along the edge of the shelf until it stops. Take hold of the rear edge of the glass shelf and pull the shelf and transport support forward until the shelf tilts and the transport support can be removed.

### Cleaning

Wash the inside of the appliance using lukewarm water and bicarbonate of soda (5 ml to 0,5 litre of water).

**Do not use soap or detergent as the smell may linger. Dry thoroughly.**



## Installing the appliance

To obtain the best performance from the appliance, ensure :

- the appliance is placed in a dry, cool place and is not exposed to direct sunlight.
- the appliance is not placed close to a source of heat, e.g. a cooker or dishwasher.
- the appliance is level. The appliance should not lean against any wall. If necessary adjust the feet using the adjustment spanner supplied.
- there is good air circulation around the appliance and that the air channels below and behind the appliance are not blocked. The ventilation space above the appliance must be at least 4 cm.

The ventilation space can either be

- a) directly above the appliance, or
- b) behind and above the top cupboard. In this case, the space behind the cupboard must be at least 50 mm deep.

The appliance must be placed at a location whose ambient temperature corresponds to the climate classification\*, for which the appliance is designed.

\* See on the rating plate on the inside of the appliance.

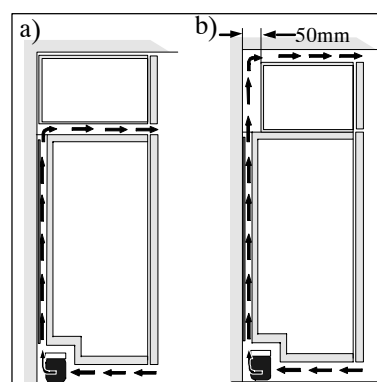
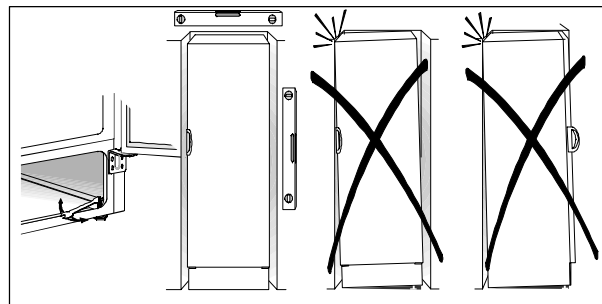
The following table shows which ambient temperature is correct for each climate classification.

Climate classification	for an ambient temperature of
SN	+10°C to +32°C
N	+16°C to +32°C
ST	+18°C to +38°C
T	+18°C to +43°C

- Check that the drain hose at the rear of the cabinet discharges into the drip tray.

If the appliance is placed in a corner and the side with the hinges facing the wall, the distance between the wall and the appliance must be at least 10 mm to allow the door to open enough so that the shelves can be removed.

The power plug must be accessible after installation of the appliance.



## Electrical connection



Any electrical work required to install this appliance should be carried out by a qualified electrician or competent person. This appliance must be earthed.

**The manufacturer declines any liability should these safety measures not be observed.**


### Electrical Requirements

Before switching on, make sure the electricity supply voltage is the same as that indicated on the appliance rating plate.

The appliance is supplied with a 13amp plug fitted. In the event of having to change the fuse in the plug supplied, a 13amp ASTA approved (BS1362) fuse must be used.

Should the plug need to be replaced for any reason. The wires in the mains lead are coloured in accordance with the following code:

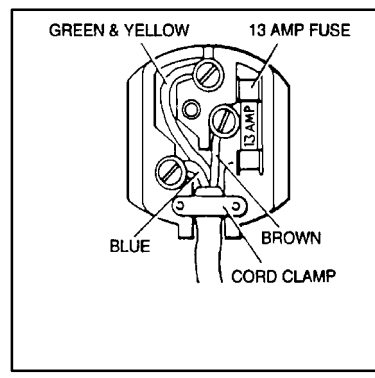
Green and yellow	-Earth
Blue	-Neutral
Brown	-Live

The wire coloured green and yellow must be connected to the terminal marked with the letter "E" or by the earth symbol  or coloured green and yellow.

The wire coloured blue must be connected to the terminal marked "N" or coloured black

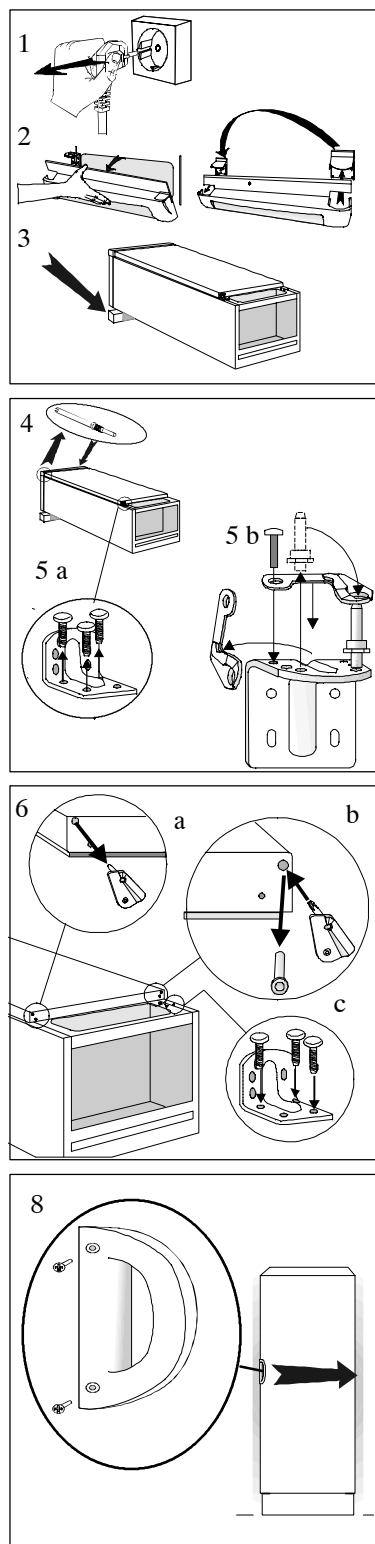
The wire coloured brown must be connected to the terminal marked "L" or coloured red.

Upon completion there must be no cut, or stray strands of wire present and the cord clamp must be secure over the outer sheath.



## Door Reversal

1. Close the appliance and disconnect the appliance from the electricity socket.
2. Remove the ventilation grille. There is a part on the grille that can be removed. Reposition it and transfer to the opposite side.
3. Support the appliance on a wooden block when it is laid down. This will make it easier to grip under the appliance when returning to an upright position.
4. On the upper part of the appliance. Remove the hinge pin and replace on the other side.
5. On the lower part of the appliance.
  - a Unscrew the hinge.
  - b Remove the door-closing fittings from the hinge and put the hinge pin on the other side. Then attach the supplied door-closing fitting.
6.
  - a. Remove the door-closing fitting from the bottom of the door.
  - b. Remove the plastic plug from the corresponding hole on the other side. Use a screwdriver to rock the plug loose. Then secure the supplied door-closing fitting.
  - c. Secure the lower hinge.
7. Raise the appliance and replace the ventilation grille.
8. Unscrew the handle. Carefully press in the plastic plugs on the opposite side using a punch. Secure the handle in the plug holes. Then press the supplied plastic plugs into the holes to which the handle was previously fitted.
9. Put the appliance in position. Check that it stands straight. See the section "Positioning the appliance".









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